

## Message Text

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FM USMISSION GENEVA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 4071

INFO AMEMBASSY MANILA IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY SAIGON

USDEL JEC PARIS

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EO 11652 NA

TAGS PARM ICRC VN RP

SUBJ GENEVA CONFERENCE ON LAW OF WAR: PRG ATTENDANCE

1. WHEN PRG ISSUE WAS BROUGHT UP AT PRELIMINARY MEETING OF CONFERENCE HEADS OF DELEGATION WE WERE DISAPPOINTED BY FAILURE OF THOSE OPPOSED TO PRG ATTENDANCE TO SPEAK OUT AGAINST IT. MANY REMAINED QUIET, BUT PHILIPPINE AMBASSADOR BRILLANTES WENT SO FAR AS TO ABSENT HIMSELF DURING THE DISCUSSION. GVN DEL SAYS BRILLANTES' INTEREST IN COMMUNIST SUPPORT FOR ELECTION AS CHAIRMAN OF AD HOC WEAPONS COMMITTEE ADVERSELY AFFECTS HIS WILLINGNESS TO SPEAK AND VOTE ON THIS QUESTION.

2. ACTION REQUESTED: EMBASSY MANILA SHOULD APPROACH DFA WITHOUT DELAY TO URGE THAT GOP DEL BE INSTRUCTED TO TAKE A FAR MORE VIGOROUS, MORE VOCAL ROLE AGAINST PRG ATTENDANCE. OTHERWISE THE SHEER VOLUME OF PRO-PRG

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ORATORY MAY WELL PROVE INFLUENTIAL UPON DELEGATIONS

NOW SYMPATHETIC TO USG-GVN POSITION.DALE

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